



# State of New Jersey

## 2014-15

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The New Jersey Department of Education (NJDOE) is pleased to present these annual reports of School Performance. These reports are designed to inform parents, educators and communities about how well a school is performing and preparing its students for college and careers.

In particular, the School Performance Reports seek to:

- **Focus** attention on metrics that are indicative of college and career readiness.
- **Benchmark** a school's performance against other peer schools that are educating similar students, against statewide outcomes, and against state targets to illuminate and build upon a school's strengths and identify areas for improvement.
- **Improve** educational outcomes for students by providing both longitudinal and growth data so that progress can be measured as part of an individual school's efforts to engage in continuous improvement.

While the New Jersey School Performance Reports seek to bring more information to educators and stakeholders about the performance of schools, they do not seek to distill the performance of schools into a single metric, a single score, or a simplified conclusion. Instead, the intention is that educators and stakeholders will engage in deep, lengthy conversations about the full range of the data presented. As educators know well, measuring school performance is both an art and a science. While the School Performance Report brings attention to important student outcomes, NJDOE does not collect data about other essential elements of a school, such as the provision of opportunities to participate and excel in extracurricular activities; the development of non-cognitive skills like time management and perseverance; the pervasiveness of a positive school culture or climate; or the attainment of other employability and technical skills, as many of these data are beyond both the capacity and resources of schools to measure and collect well.

To learn more about New Jersey's school accountability system, please visit: <http://www.nj.gov/education/educators/>.

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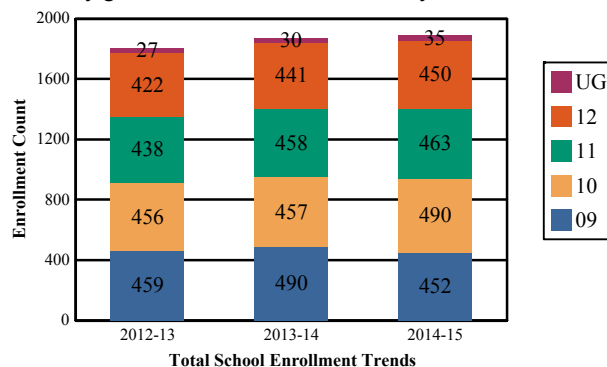
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### Enrollment by Grade

This graph presents the count of students who were 'on roll' by grade in October of each school year.

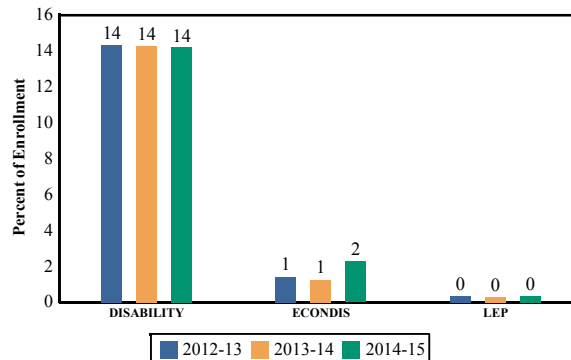


Total School Enrollment Trends

Note: "UG" represents the count of students who are 'on roll' in this school but who are educated in ungraded classrooms, meaning that the classrooms may contain students from multiple grade levels.

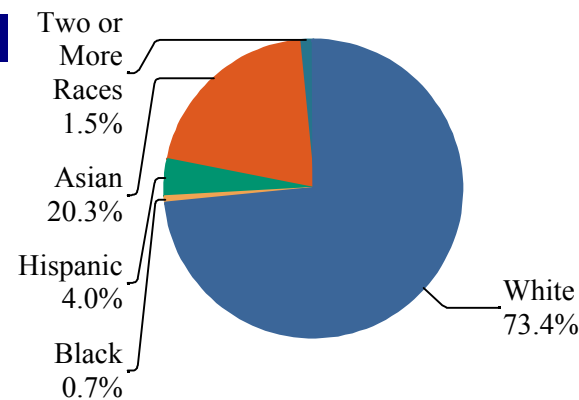
### Enrollment Trends by Program Participation

This graph presents the percentages of students by program participation who were 'on roll' in October of each school year.



### Enrollment by Ethnic/Racial Subgroup

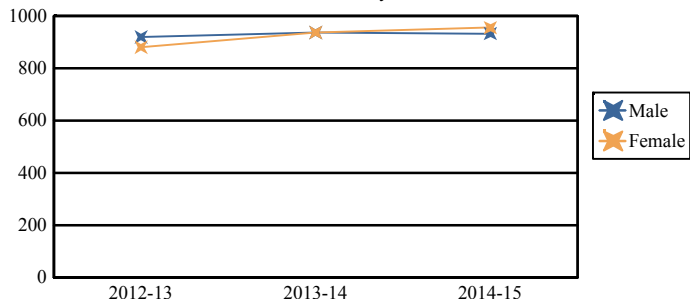
This graph presents the percentages of enrollment for each subgroup defined by the No Child Left Behind Act of 2001.



Total School Enrollment	
2012-13	1,801
2013-14	1,875
2014-15	1,889

### Enrollment by Gender

This graph presents the count of students by gender who were 'on roll' in October of each school year.



	Male	Female
2012-13	920	881
2013-14	938	937
2014-15	933	956

### Current Year Enrollment by Program Participation

2014-15	Count of Students	% of Enrollment
Students with Disability	268	14%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	43	2.3%
English Language Learners	6	0.3%

### Language Diversity

This table presents the percentage of students who primarily speak each language in their home.

2014-15	Percent
English	88.3%
Chinese	3.2%
Spanish	1.3%
Hindi	1.0%
Korean	0.8%
Telugu	0.8%
Other	4.7%

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The Academic Achievement section measures the content knowledge that students have in English Language Arts/Literacy (ELA/L), Mathematics and Biology as demonstrated in 2014-2015 *Partnership for Assessment of Readiness for College and Careers* (PARCC) assessments and the End-of-Course Biology assessment. The below chart consist of three columns with measures. The first column - Schoolwide Performance - below includes the percentage of students who met or exceeded expectations in ELA/L or Math. The middle column - Peer School Percentile - indicates how the school's outcomes compare to its group of peer schools. The last column - Statewide Percentile - indicates how the school's outcomes compare to schools across the state in ELA/L.

Academic Achievement	Schoolwide Performance	Peer Percentile	State Percentile
HS English Language Arts/Literacy Met or Exceeded Expectation	77%	94	95
Math Met or Exceeded Expectation	64%		

**ESEA Waiver - English Language Arts/Literacy**

This table presents, for each subgroup in the school, the total number of valid test scores, the percentage of students who met or exceeded expectations, the assessment participation goal, and the participation rate. The participation goal is established as 95% by the United States Department of Education.

Subgroups	Valid Scores	% Meeting Standards	Participation Goal	Participation Rate	Met Participation?
Schoolwide	432	77.1%	95%	72.4%	NO
White	259	72.9%	95%	67.7%	NO
African American	-	-	--	--	--
Hispanic	-	-	--	--	--
American Indian	-	-	--	--	--
Asian	141	88.6%	95%	82%	NO
Two or More Races	-	-	--	--	--
Students with Disability	38	47.4%	95%	58.8%	NO
English Learner Students	-	-	--	--	--
Economically Disadvantaged Students	-	-	--	--	--

**YES\* = Met Participation Rate (Participation Averaging applied)**

Data is presented for subgroups when the count is high enough under ESEA Waiver suppression rules.

ESEA Waiver - Math

This table presents, for each subgroup in the school, the total number of valid test scores, the percentage of students who met or exceeded expectations, the assessment participation goal, and the participation rate. The participation goal is established as 95% by the United States Department of Education.

Subgroups	Valid Scores	% Meeting Standards	Participation Goal	Participation Rate	Met Participation?
Schoolwide	347	64.3%	95%	64.6%	NO
White	228	61.4%	95%	61.9%	NO
African American	-	-	--	--	--
Hispanic	-	-	--	--	--
American Indian	-	-	--	--	--
Asian	95	76.8%	95%	73.2%	NO
Two or More Races	-	-	--	--	--
Students with Disability	32	43.7%	95%	46.4%	NO
English Learner Students	-	-	--	--	--
Economically Disadvantaged Students	-	-	--	--	--

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**Proficiency Outcomes - Biology**

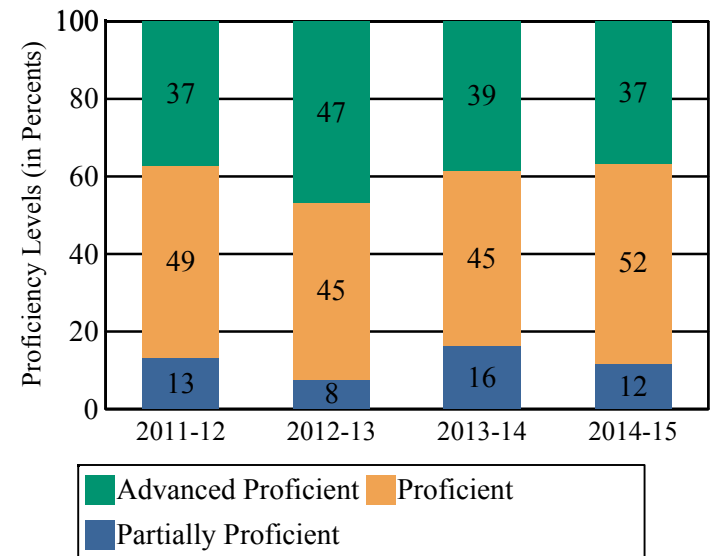
This table presents the percentage of students who scored in the Advanced Proficient, Proficient and Partially Proficient categories of the New Jersey Biology Competency Test (NJBCT) in the latest school year.

Subgroups	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient
Schoolwide	37%	52%	12%
White	-	-	-
African American	-	-	-
Hispanic	-	-	-
American Indian	-	-	-
Asian	-	-	-
Two or More Races	37%	52%	12%
Students with Disability	11%	52%	37%
English Language Learners	-	-	-
Economically Disadvantaged Students	-	-	-

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**Proficiency Trends - Biology**

This graph presents the percentage of students who scored in the Advanced Proficient, Proficient, and Partially Proficient categories of the Biology Competency Test over the last four years.



PARCC Performance Level

The PARCC assesses how well students have learned grade-level material in English Language Arts/Literacy (ELA/L) and Math. The tests include questions that measure students' fundamental skills and knowledge, and require them to think critically, solve problems and support or explain their answers.

The PARCC reports students' overall scale scores that range from 650 to 850. To determine whether students have met academic expectations for their grade level/course in ELA/L and Math, students' overall scale scores are categorized into five Performance Levels. Students performing at levels 4 and 5 (met or exceeded expectations) have demonstrated readiness for the next grade level/course, and are on track for college and careers.

Five Performance Levels				
<b>Level 1:</b> Did Not Yet Meet Expectations <i>(Min. 650)</i>	<b>Level 2:</b> Partially Met Expectations	<b>Level 3:</b> Approached Expectations	<b>Level 4:</b> Met Expectations	<b>Level 5:</b> Exceeded Expectations <i>(Max. 850)</i>

PARCC ELA Performance Distribution - Grade - 09

This table presents the grade level outcomes, as measured by PARCC, in all five performance levels for all subgroups. PARCC consists of five performance levels: Level 1 - Did not yet meet grade-level expectations, Level 2 -Partially met expectations, Level 3 - Approached expectations, Level 4 - Met expectations, and Level 5 - Exceeded expectations.

Subgroup	Valid Scores	Mean Scale Score	State Mean Scale Score	% Level_1	% Level_2	% Level_3	% Level_4	% Level_5	% Met/ Exceeded Expectation	State % Met/Exceeded Expectation
Schoolwide	232	773	739	4%	7%	14%	41%	34%	75%	41%
White	137	763	746	7%	9%	18%	45%	23%	67%	47%
African American	-	-	723	-	-	-	-	-	-	23%
Hispanic	15	749	725	0%	27%	27%	33%	13%	47%	26%
American Indian	-	-	732	-	-	-	-	-	-	33%
Asian	77	794	765	0%	0%	5%	38%	57%	95%	68%
Two or More Races	-	-	731	-	-	-	-	-	-	36%
Students with Disability	21	743	706	14%	14%	29%	33%	10%	43%	9%
English Language Learners	-	-	693	-	-	-	-	-	-	5%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	-	-	724	-	-	-	-	-	-	24%

PARCC ELA Performance Distribution - Grade - 10

This table presents the grade level outcomes, as measured by PARCC, in all five performance levels for all subgroups. PARCC consists of five performance levels: Level 1 - Did not yet meet grade-level expectations, Level 2 -Partially met expectations, Level 3 - Approached expectations, Level 4 - Met expectations, and Level 5 - Exceeded expectations.

Subgroup	Valid Scores	Mean Scale Score	State Mean Scale Score	% Level_1	% Level_2	% Level_3	% Level_4	% Level_5	% Met/ Exceeded Expectation	State % Met/Exceeded Expectation
Schoolwide	196	786	735	2%	5%	14%	36%	43%	79%	38%
White	119	781	741	3%	5%	13%	41%	38%	79%	43%
African American	-	-	717	-	-	-	-	-	-	22%
Hispanic	-	-	720	-	-	-	-	-	-	24%
American Indian	-	-	725	-	-	-	-	-	-	27%
Asian	63	795	763	2%	3%	14%	27%	54%	81%	62%
Two or More Races	-	-	729	-	-	-	-	-	-	34%
Students with Disability	13	736	698	8%	31%	23%	38%	0%	38%	8%
English Language Learners	-	-	685	-	-	-	-	-	-	4%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	-	-	718	-	-	-	-	-	-	23%



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**PARCC ELA Performance Distribution - Grade - 11**

This table presents the grade level outcomes, as measured by PARCC, in all five performance levels for all subgroups. PARCC consists of five performance levels: Level 1 - Did not yet meet grade-level expectations, Level 2 - Partially met expectations, Level 3 - Approached expectations, Level 4 - Met expectations, and Level 5 - Exceeded expectations.

Subgroup	Valid Scores	Mean Scale Score	State Mean Scale Score	% Level_1	% Level_2	% Level_3	% Level_4	% Level_5	% Met/ Exceeded Expectation	State % Met/Exceeded Expectation
Schoolwide	104	776	741	6%	6%	19%	32%	38%	69%	42%
White	85	773	745	6%	6%	21%	33%	34%	67%	46%
African American	-	-	727	-	-	-	-	-	-	27%
Hispanic	-	-	731	-	-	-	-	-	-	31%
American Indian	-	-	745	-	-	-	-	-	-	38%
Asian	15	793	765	7%	7%	7%	20%	60%	80%	64%
Two or More Races	-	-	738	-	-	-	-	-	-	38%
Students with Disability	26	742	712	12%	8%	31%	46%	4%	50%	16%
English Language Learners	-	-	703	-	-	-	-	-	-	6%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	-	-	730	-	-	-	-	-	-	30%

**Advanced Placement/International Baccalaureate English Performance Distribution**

This graph presents the percentage of students in this school scoring in each performance level of the AP/IB English assessment. Students who score AP  $\geq 3$  or score IB  $\geq 4$  may earn college credit. Shown below the graph is a table that presents the percentage of students who achieved a score that could potentially earn college credit and the average score earned in the school.



Subject	Valid Scores	% Eligible for College Credit	Average Score Earned in the School	Average Score Earned in the State
AP ENG LANG	101	100.0%	4.49	3.36

- Data is suppressed to protect the confidentiality of the students.

PARCC ALGEBRA I - Performance Distribution

This table presents the grade level outcomes, as measured by PARCC, in all five performance levels for all subgroups. PARCC consists of five performance levels: Level 1 - Did not yet meet grade-level expectations, Level 2 - Partially met expectations, Level 3 - Approached expectations, Level 4 - Met expectations, and Level 5 - Exceeded expectations.

Subgroup	Valid Scores	Mean Scale Score	State Mean Scale Score	% Level_1	% Level_2	% Level_3	% Level_4	% Level_5	% Met/ Exceeded Expectation	State % Met/Exceeded Expectation
Schoolwide	58	740	740	10%	9%	41%	40%	0%	40%	40%
White	45	741	746	11%	7%	42%	40%	0%	40%	47%
African American	-	-	722	-	-	-	-	-	-	20%
Hispanic	-	-	725	-	-	-	-	-	-	21%
American Indian	-	-	733	-	-	-	-	-	-	35%
Asian	-	-	769	-	-	-	-	-	-	73%
Two or More Races	-	-	734	-	-	-	-	-	-	35%
Students with Disability	14	724	710	21%	29%	29%	21%	0%	21%	8%
English Language Learners	-	-	710	-	-	-	-	-	-	7%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	-	-	725	-	-	-	-	-	-	21%

PARCC GEOMETRY - Performance Distribution

This table presents the grade level outcomes, as measured by PARCC, in all five performance levels for all subgroups. PARCC consists of five performance levels: Level 1 - Did not yet meet grade-level expectations, Level 2 - Partially met expectations, Level 3 - Approached expectations, Level 4 - Met expectations, and Level 5 - Exceeded expectations.

Subgroup	Valid Scores	Mean Scale Score	State Mean Scale Score	% Level_1	% Level_2	% Level_3	% Level_4	% Level_5	% Met/ Exceeded Expectation	State % Met/Exceeded Expectation
Schoolwide	150	754	728	1%	9%	29%	53%	9%	62%	21%
White	101	752	731	1%	9%	32%	51%	7%	58%	24%
African American	-	-	716	-	-	-	-	-	-	7%
Hispanic	-	-	718	-	-	-	-	-	-	8%
American Indian	-	-	722	-	-	-	-	-	-	12%
Asian	39	759	751	0%	5%	21%	62%	13%	74%	54%
Two or More Races	-	-	724	-	-	-	-	-	-	20%
Students with Disability	12	742	709	0%	33%	17%	50%	0%	50%	4%
English Language Learners	-	-	710	-	-	-	-	-	-	6%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	-	-	718	-	-	-	-	-	-	8%

PARCC ALGEBRA II - Performance Distribution

This table presents the grade level outcomes, as measured by PARCC, in all five performance levels for all subgroups. PARCC consists of five performance levels: Level 1 - Did not yet meet grade-level expectations, Level 2 - Partially met expectations, Level 3 - Approached expectations, Level 4 - Met expectations, and Level 5 - Exceeded expectations.

Subgroup	Valid Scores	Mean Scale Score	State Mean Scale Score	% Level_1	% Level_2	% Level_3	% Level_4	% Level_5	% Met/ Exceeded Expectation	State % Met/Exceeded Expectation
Schoolwide	159	768	721	4%	6%	23%	54%	13%	67%	24%
White	102	759	725	5%	8%	26%	52%	9%	61%	27%
African American	-	-	701	-	-	-	-	-	-	8%
Hispanic	-	-	706	-	-	-	-	-	-	10%
American Indian	-	-	720	-	-	-	-	-	-	23%
Asian	50	787	751	2%	2%	12%	60%	24%	84%	53%
Two or More Races	-	-	716	-	-	-	-	-	-	21%
Students with Disability	17	730	691	24%	24%	35%	12%	6%	18%	4%
English Language Learners	-	-	694	-	-	-	-	-	-	6%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	-	-	705	-	-	-	-	-	-	9%

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Students in high schools begin to demonstrate college readiness behaviors long before they actually graduate from high school. Among those behaviors are taking college entrance exams and challenging themselves with rigorous course work. The table below presents five such indicators: the percentage of students enrolled in the 12th grade who took the SAT or ACT, the percentage of 10th and 11th graders who took the PSAT, the percentage of students who scored above the SAT benchmark of 1550, the percentage of 11th and 12th graders who took at least one AP or IB test in English, math, social studies or science, and the percentage of those AP or IB tests that were scored a 3 or higher.

The below chart consist of five columns with measures. The first column - Schoolwide Performance - represents the outcomes for these particular indicators in the school. The second column - Peer School Percentile - indicates how the school's performance compares to its group of peer schools. The third column - Statewide Percentile - indicates how the school's performance compares to schools across the state. The fourth column - Statewide Target - provides the statewide targets for each of these indicators. The last column - Met Target? - indicates whether the School Performance met or exceeded the statewide target. The Summary row presents the averages of the peer school percentiles, the average of statewide percentiles and the percentage of statewide targets met.

College and Career Readiness Indicators	Schoolwide Performance	Peer Percentile	Statewide Percentile	Statewide Target	Met Target?
Percent of Students Participating in SAT or ACT	100%	100	100	80%	YES
Percent of Students Participating in PSAT or PLAN	70%	45	39	60%	YES
Percent of Students Scoring Above 1550 on SAT	72%	65	90	40%	YES
Percent of Students Taking at least one AP Test or IB Test in English, Math, Social Studies or Science	43%	65	86	35%	YES
Percent of AP Tests $\geq 3$ or IB Test $\geq 4$ in English, Math, Social Studies or Science	89%	81	90	75%	YES
<b>Summary</b>		<b>71</b>	<b>81</b>		<b>100%</b>

**College Readiness Test Participation**

The first column of the table below presents the percentage of students enrolled in the 12th grade who took the SAT or ACT and the percentage of students enrolled in 10th and 11th grade who took the PSAT. The second column provides the average across the school's peer group for these two metrics.

2014-15 Percent of Students	School	Peer Avg.	State Avg
Participating in SAT	76.4%	89.3%	79.1%
Participating in ACT	64.9%		25.2%
Participating in PSAT or PLAN	70.4%	77.1%	79.6%
Participating in Dual Enrollment	3.5%		14.9%

**AP/IB Participation - 'Unique' Students**

The table below presents the proportion of 'unique' students enrolled in at least 11th and 12th grade i.e., each student is counted once regardless of how many AP or IB courses he/she may take. The table also presents the proportion of how many 'unique' students took at least one AP or IB test to the school's enrollment in 11th and 12th grade.

2014-15 Percent of Students Taking	School	Peer Avg.	State Avg.
One or More Course	63.6%	57.7%	36.3%
One or More Test	58.2%	52.8%	30.7%
At least one AP or IB Test in English, Math, Social Studies or Science	43.1%	43.0%	25.3%

Note: Students who are enrolled in AP/IB coursework or take AP/IB tests in grades other than 11th and 12th are included in the numerator of this calculation.

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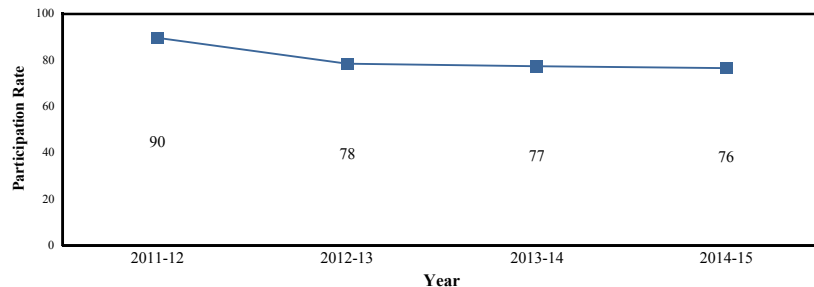
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**Participation Trends - SAT Testing**

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This graph presents the participation rate in the SAT over the last four years.



**Scholastic Assessment Test (SAT) Results**

This table presents the percentage of students who achieved a composite SAT score of 1550 or higher. The SAT benchmark score of 1550 (Critical Reading, Mathematics and Writing Score combined) indicates a 65 percent likelihood of achieving a B- average or higher during the first year of college, which in turn has been found by the College Board's research to be indicative of a high likelihood of college success and completion.

2014-15	School	Peer Avg.	State Avg.
Percent of Students Scoring Above 1550 on SAT	71.5%	67.4%	43.8%

**Composite SAT Score**

This chart presents the average composite SAT score from the last academic year for students enrolled in this school as well as the average scores achieved in Critical Reading, Mathematics and Writing. The averages from this school's peer group are also presented.

2014-15	School	Peer Avg.	State Avg.
Composite SAT Score	1,781	1,687	1,508
Critical Reading	589	552	496
Mathematics	611	577	518
Writing	581	559	494

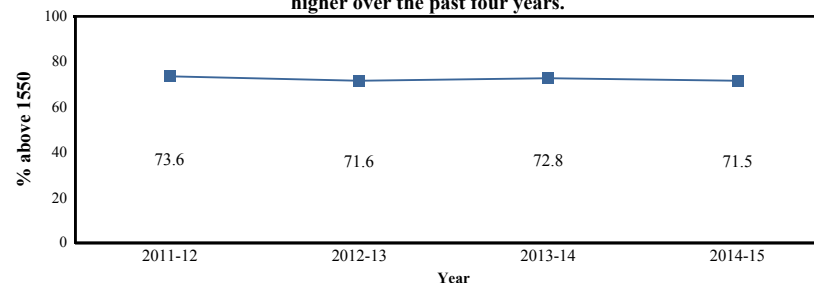
**AP /IB Test Results**

This table presents the percentage of all AP/IB tests taken by students enrolled in the school that were scored AP  $\geq 3$  and scored IB  $\geq 4$ .

2014-15	School	Peer Avg.	State Avg.
Percent of AP Tests $\geq 3$ or IB Test $\geq 4$	94.7%	84.2%	72.4%
Percent of Scores in AP $\geq 3$ or IB $\geq 4$ in English, Math, Social Studies or Science	89.3%	83.5%	69.7%

**SAT Benchmark Trends**

This chart presents the percentage of students who achieved a composite SAT score of 1550 or higher over the past four years.



**Composite SAT Score**

This chart presents the scores achieved in Critical Reading, Mathematics and Writing by the students at the 25th percentile, the 50th percentile and the 75th percentile of the school's distribution of SAT scores.

2014-15	Critical Reading	Mathematics	Writing
75th Percentile	660	690	660
50th Percentile	580	620	580
25th Percentile	528	530	500

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**AP/IB Courses Offered**

This table presents the count of students enrolled in each AP/IB course offered in this school in the first column. The second column presents the count of tests taken in each AP/IB course. The numbers may not match as some students do not take the test in the same year as they take the course and some students may take the course without taking the test or vice versa.

AP/IB Course Name	Students Enrolled	Students Tested
AP Psychology	202	177
AP Human Geography	141	103
AP Environmental Science	137	115
AP Physics B	118	
AP English Language and Composition	118	103
AP U.S. Government and Politics	108	97
AP Calculus AB	100	98
AP Biology	91	78
AP English Literature and Composition	73	51
AP Microeconomics	66	59
AP Chemistry	51	43
AP Statistics	50	45
AP Calculus BC	46	43
AP Physics C	32	
AP Spanish Language	27	23
AP U.S. History	25	23
AP European History	25	18
AP Studio Art/Drawing Portfolio	23	21

AP/IB Course Name	Students Enrolled	Students Tested
AP Japanese Language and Culture	18	16
AP Italian Language and Culture	17	14
AP French Language	11	10
AP Studio Art/Two-Dimensional	2	2
AP Studio Art/Three-Dimensional	1	1
AP Physics 1		107
AP Physics 2		106
AP Macroeconomics		97
AP Physics C: Electricity and Magnetism		27
AP Physics C: Mechanics		27
AP Chinese Language and Culture		2
AP Computer Science A		2

### Visual and Performing Arts

The chart below contains the percentage of students who were enrolled in at least one Dance, Drama/Theater, Music or Visual Arts class in this school. The last row shows the percentage of students who were enrolled in any Visual and Performing Arts classes in the school.

Percent of Students Enrolled	School	State
Dance	4.1%	2.1%
Drama/Theater	3.5%	3.8%
Music	22.3%	17.8%
Visual Arts	40.9%	31.7%
Total: All Visual and Performing Arts	61.1%	49.9%

N/R - Data Not Reported

### Participation in Career Readiness

The chart below contains percentage of students who were participants in an approved Career and Technical Education Program in this school as well as across the State of New Jersey.

Percent of Students Enrolled	School	State
Participating in CTE	0.6%	18.3%
Structured Learning Experience	0.0%	7.0%

N/R - Data Not Reported



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This section of the performance report presents data about graduation, dropout and post-secondary attendance. The graduation rate is calculated according to the ESEA Cohort methodology as required by the United States Department of Education. Dropout rates are calculated from student-level data submitted by districts for students officially classified as dropouts. The dropout rate is the count of students who dropout in an academic year divided by the school's total enrollment.

The below chart consist of five columns with measures. The first column - Schoolwide Performance - represents the outcomes for these particular indicators in this school. The second column - Peer School Percentile - indicates how the school's performance compares to its group of peer schools. The third column - Statewide Percentile - indicates how the school's performance compares to schools across the state.. The fourth column - Statewide Target - provides the statewide targets for each of these indicators. The Statewide Target for Graduation Rate was established pursuant to NJDOE's ESEA Accountability Workbook. The last column - Met Target - indicates whether the School Performance met or exceeded the statewide target. The Summary row presents the averages of the peer school percentile, the average of statewide percentile and the percentage of statewide targets met.

Graduation & Post Secondary Indicators	Schoolwide Performance	Peer Percentile	Statewide Percentile	Statewide Targets	Met Target
Overall Graduation Rate	98%	65	88	78%	YES
Dropout Rate	0 %	100	100	2%	YES
<b>SUMMARY - Graduation &amp; Post-Secondary</b>		83	94		100%

**Graduation Rate by Subgroup**

This table presents for all NCLB-identified subgroups the "4-year Adjusted Graduation Rate." This rate calculates the percentage of students who are awarded a regular, high school diploma within four years of becoming a first-time ninth grader. The rate is adjusted to account for students who 'transfer-in' and for students who are verified as 'transfers-out'.

	School	State Target
<b>Schoolwide</b>	98%	78%
White	99%	
African American	-	
Hispanic	-	
American Indian	-	
Asian	95%	
Native Hawaiian	-	
Two or More Races	-	
Students with Disability	88%	
English Language Learners	-	
Economically Disadvantaged Students	-	

**Dropout Rate by Subgroup**

This table presents for all NCLB-identified subgroups the Dropout rate. This rate calculates the percentage of students who are classified as dropouts divided by the school's total enrollment and by each subgroup enrollment.

	School	State Target
<b>Schoolwide</b>	0%	2%
White	0%	
African American	-	
Hispanic	0%	
American Indian	-	
Asian	0%	
Native Hawaiian	-	
Two or More Races	-	
Students with Disability	0%	
English Language Learners	-	
Economically Disadvantaged Students	0%	

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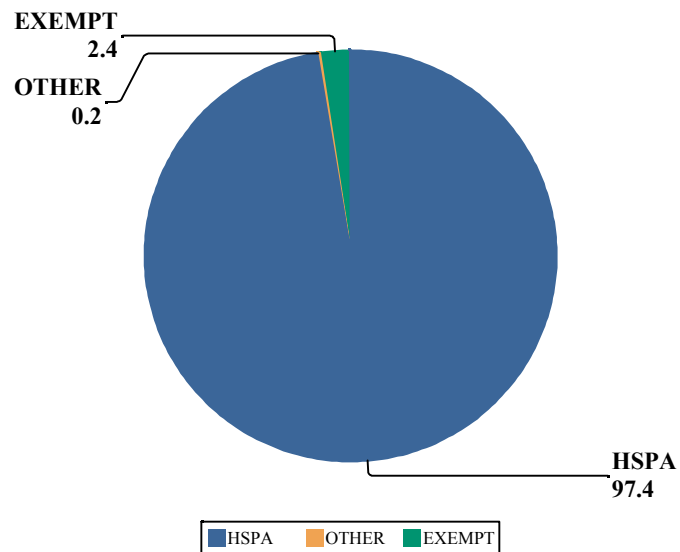
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**Graduation Pathway Rates**

This chart presents the percentage of high school graduates who graduated by passing both sections of the HSPA, who were exempt from passing the HSPA, or who demonstrated proficiency through an alternative pathway such as through the Alternative High School Assessment, achievement of the 'Just Proficient Mean' or an appeal process.



**Extended Year Graduation Rate**

The chart below presents the 4-year and 5-year graduation rate for the prior school year's cohort in addition to the 4-year graduation rate for last year's cohort.

Class of	4-year Rate	5-year Rate
2012	97%	97%
2013	97%	97%
2014	98%	99%
2015	98%	

### Postsecondary Enrollment Rates

This chart presents the enrollment rates of this school's high school graduates, 16-months after high school graduation. The data is from the National Student Clearinghouse which reports that it collects student-level enrollment data from 95% of Institutions of Higher Education nationwide.

The last columns indicate, for the schoolwide total and each subgroup, the percentage of postsecondary enrollees that were enrolled in either a 2 year or a 4 year institution.

	Percent Enrolled	Percent in 2 Year	Percent in 4 Year
<b>Statewide</b>	<b>78.5%</b>	<b>34.3%</b>	<b>64.7%</b>
<b>Schoolwide</b>	86%	8.6%	91.4%
White	87.8%	8.8%	91.2%
African American	-	-	-
Hispanic	-	-	-
Asian	85.2%	4.3%	95.7%
American Indian	-	-	-
Native Hawaiian	-	-	-
Two or More Races	-	-	-
Students with Disability	73%	32.6%	67.4%
English Language Learners	-	-	-
Economically Disadvantaged Students	-	-	-

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This section of the performance report presents data about the achievement gap that exists within a school - as measured by the difference between the students' scale scores at the 25th and 75th percentile in the school, the Interquartile Range (IQR). Taken together with an understanding of the overall and average achievement levels in the school, the IQR furthers an understanding of the range of student outcomes that exist in a school. A school gap smaller than the state gap indicates that the school's range of student outcomes is narrower than the state's while a school gap broader than the state gap indicates that the school's range of student outcomes is larger than the state's.

**Grade Level - 09**

**PARCC English Language Arts/Literacy 25th %ile vs 75th%ile**

This table presents the scale scores associated with students at the bottom (0th percentile), the 25th percentile, the 50th percentile, the 75th percentile and the top (99th percentile) of school's distribution.

Percentile	School Scale Score	State Scale Score
99th	841	850
75th	797	766
50th	778	739
25th	750	710
0th	680	650

	Scale Score Gap - School	Scale Score Gap - State
25th vs 75th Gap	47	56

**PARCC ALG-1 25th %ile vs 75th%ile**

This table presents the scale scores associated with students at the bottom (0th percentile), the 25th percentile, the 50th percentile, the 75th percentile and the top (99th percentile) of school's distribution.

Percentile	School Scale Score	State Scale Score
99th	786	821
75th	755	762
50th	742	735
25th	728	711
0th	650	650

	Scale Score Gap - School	Scale Score Gap - State
25th vs 75th Gap	27	51

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**Grade Level - 10**

**PARCC English Language Arts/Literacy 25th %ile vs 75th%ile**

This table presents the scale scores associated with students at the bottom (0th percentile), the 25th percentile, the 50th percentile, the 75th percentile and the top (99th percentile) of school's distribution.

Percentile	School Scale Score	State Scale Score
99th	850	850
75th	819	766
50th	785	733
25th	759	699
0th	655	650

	Scale Score Gap - School	Scale Score Gap - State
25th vs 75th Gap	60	67

**Grade Level - 11**

**PARCC English Language Arts/Literacy 25th %ile vs 75th%ile**

This table presents the scale scores associated with students at the bottom (0th percentile), the 25th percentile, the 50th percentile, the 75th percentile and the top (99th percentile) of school's distribution.

Percentile	School Scale Score	State Scale Score
99th	850	850
75th	811	768
50th	777	740
25th	742	711
0th	662	650

	Scale Score Gap - School	Scale Score Gap - State
25th vs 75th Gap	69	57

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**PARCC GEO 25th %ile vs 75th%ile**

This table presents the scale scores associated with students at the bottom (0th percentile), the 25th percentile, the 50th percentile, the 75th percentile and the top (99th percentile) of school's distribution.

Percentile	School Scale Score	State Scale Score
99th	802	793
75th	771	747
50th	754	726
25th	736	710
0th	696	650

	Scale Score Gap - School	Scale Score Gap - State
25th vs 75th Gap	35	37

**PARCC ALG-2 25th %ile vs 75th%ile**

This table presents the scale scores associated with students at the bottom (0th percentile), the 25th percentile, the 50th percentile, the 75th percentile and the top (99th percentile) of school's distribution.

Percentile	School Scale Score	State Scale Score
99th	838	813
75th	795	748
50th	769	718
25th	745	692
0th	675	650

	Scale Score Gap - School	Scale Score Gap - State
25th vs 75th Gap	50	56

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**Length of School Day**

This table presents the amount of time a school is in session for a typical student on a normal school day.

	School
<b>2014-15</b>	6 Hrs. 50 Mins.

**Student Suspension Rate**

This table presents the percentage of students who were suspended one or more times during the school year.

	School
<b>2014-15</b>	1.0%

**Instructional Time**

This table presents the amount of time that a typical student is engaged in instructional activities under the supervision of a certified teacher.

<b>2014-15</b>	School
<b>Full Time</b>	5 Hrs. 36 Mins.
<b>Shared Time</b>	2 Hrs. 40 Mins.

**Student Expulsions**

This table presents the number of students who were expelled from the school and district during the school year.

	School
<b>2014-15</b>	0

**Student to Staff Ratio**

This table presents the count of students per faculty member or administrator in the school. All staff are counted in full-time equivalents.

<b>2014-15</b>	School
<b>Faculty</b>	13
<b>Administrators</b>	315

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This table presents the list of peer schools in alphabetical order by county name that was created specifically for this school (highlighted in yellow). Peer schools are drawn from across the state and represent schools that have similar grade configurations and that are educating students of similar demographic characteristics, as measured by enrollment in Free/Reduced Lunch Programs, Limited English Proficiency or Special Education Programs.

<u>COUNTY NAME</u>	<u>DISTRICT NAME</u>	<u>SCHOOL NAME</u>	<u>CDS CODE</u>	<u>GRADES PAN</u>	<u>ECONOMICALLY DISADVANTAGED</u>	<u>ENGLISH LANGUAGE LEARNER</u>	<u>SPECIAL EDUCATION</u>
BERGEN	GLEN ROCK BORO	GLEN ROCK HIGH SCHOOL	03-1760-050	09-12	0.5%	0.9%	17.1%
BERGEN	NORTHERN HIGHLANDS REG	NORTHERN HIGHLANDS REGIONAL HIGH SCHOOL	03-3700-050	09-12	0.4%	0%	11.6%
BERGEN	NORTHERN VALLEY REGIONAL	NORTHER VALLEY REG OLD TAPPEN HIGH SCHOO	03-3710-060	09-12	1.1%	0.4%	14.4%
BERGEN	NORTHERN VALLEY REGIONAL	NORTHERN VALLEY REGIONAL HIGH SCHOOL AT DEMAREST	03-3710-050	09-12	1.5%	0.9%	21.4%
BERGEN	PASCACK VALLEY REGIONAL	PASCACK HILLS HIGH SCHOOL	03-3960-040	09-12	1.6%	0.1%	16.4%
BERGEN	RAMAPO-INDIAN HILL REG	INDIAN HILLS HIGH SCHOOL	03-4300-030	09-12	2.3%	0%	17.1%
BERGEN	RAMAPO-INDIAN HILL REG	RAMAPO HIGH SCHOOL	03-4300-050	09-12	1.4%	0%	11.3%
BERGEN	RAMSEY BORO	RAMSEY HIGH SCHOOL	03-4310-050	09-12	3.7%	0.4%	13.7%
BERGEN	RIDGEWOOD VILLAGE	RIDGEWOOD HIGH SCHOOL	03-4390-050	09-12	1.3%	0.6%	13.7%
BERGEN	RIVER DELL REGIONAL	RIVER DELL REGIONAL HIGH SCHOOL	03-4405-050	09-12	1.2%	0.6%	15.2%
BERGEN	RUTHERFORD BORO	RUTHERFORD HIGH SCHOOL	03-4600-050	09-12	3.5%	0.5%	9.4%
CAMDEN	HADDONFIELD BORO	HADDONFIELD MEMORIAL HIGH SCHOOL	07-1900-050	09-12	2.1%	0.4%	15.6%
ESSEX	GLEN RIDGE BORO	GLEN RIDGE HIGH SCHOOL	13-1750-050	07-12	0%	0%	13.6%
ESSEX	LIVINGSTON TWP	LIVINGSTON HIGH SCHOOL	13-2730-050	09-12	1.6%	1%	12.4%
ESSEX	VERONA BORO	VERONA HIGH SCHOOL	13-5370-050	09-12	1.8%	0.6%	11%
ESSEX	WEST ESSEX REGIONAL	WEST ESSEX HIGH SCHOOL	13-5630-050	09-12	3.6%	0.4%	13.9%
HUNTERDON	N HUNT/VOORHEES REGIONAL	NORTH HUNTERDON HIGH SCHOOL	19-3660-050	09-12	3.2%	0.1%	14.9%
MERCER	HOPEWELL VALLEY REGIONAL	HOPEWELL VALLEY CENTRAL HIGH SCHOOL	21-2280-030	09-12	2.5%	0.1%	10%
MONMOUTH	FREEHOLD REGIONAL	MARLBORO HIGH SCHOOL	25-1650-080	09-12	4.3%	0%	12.2%
MORRIS	HANOVER PARK REGIONAL	HANOVER PARK HIGH SCHOOL	27-1990-050	09-12	3.4%	0.2%	12%
MORRIS	HANOVER PARK REGIONAL	WHIPPANY PARK HIGH SCHOOL	27-1990-070	09-12	2%	0.7%	12.4%
MORRIS	KINNELON BORO	KINNELON HIGH SCHOOL	27-2460-050	09-12	3.4%	0.2%	18.1%

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MORRIS	MOUNTAIN LAKES BORO	MOUNTAIN LAKES HIGH SCHOOL	27-3460-050	09-12	1.2%	0.1%	15.8%
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MORRIS	WEST MORRIS REGIONAL	WEST MORRIS CENTRAL HIGH SCHOOL	27-5660-030	09-12	1.2%	0.2%	16.7%
MORRIS	WEST MORRIS REGIONAL	WEST MORRIS MENDHAM HIGH SCHOOL	27-5660-050	09-12	1.2%	0.4%	14.9%
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SOMERSET	WATCHUNG HILLS REGIONAL	WATCHUNG HILLS REGIONAL HIGH SCHOOL	35-5550-050	09-12	2.3%	0.5%	14.2%
SUSSEX	SPARTA TWP	SPARTA HIGH SCHOOL	37-4960-050	09-12	4%	0.2%	12.1%
UNION	BERKELEY HEIGHTS TWP	GOVERNOR LIVINGSTON HIGH SCHOOL	39-0310-005	09-12	1.8%	0.5%	11.8%
UNION	WESTFIELD TOWN	WESTFIELD SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL	39-5730-050	09-12	3.1%	0.2%	16.3%